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1. IN THE ABSENCE OF AMBASSADOR RUTH, CONTENTS OF
REFTEL B WERE PASSED TO FONOFF MBFR DIRECTOR RUCKRIEGEL.

2. RUCKRIEGEL OFFERED HIS APPRECIATION FOR THE
THOUGHTFUL CONSIDERATION THE FRG PROPOSAL HAD BEEN
GIVEN.

3. HIS ONLY IMMEDIATE AND UNOFFICIAL COMMENT WAS
THAT FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER HAD SUPPORTED THE
CONCEPT OF INCORPORATING CSCE/CBMS IN MBFR AS LEGALLY
BINDING STABILIZING MEASURES AND THAT GENSCHER DID
NOT VIEW THE INSTITUTIONAL LINK QUESTION REFERRED TO
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IN PARA 3, REFTTEL B, AS COMPLEX AN ISSUE AS THE U.S.
SIDE APPARENTLY DID. HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT AN OFFICIAL
RESPONSE TO OUR REVIEW OF THE FRG SUGGESTION WOULD
HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL A THOROUGH ANALYSIS OF OUR
ARGUMENTS HAD BEEN MADE.

4. RUCKRIEGEL SUPPORTS SUGGESTION OF MUTUAL EXCHANGE

OF COMMENTS ON SUBMITTED PAPERS OUTLINED IN PARA 9,
REFTEL B, AND WAS OPEN TO THE SUGGESTION OF SHARING
FRG PAPER WITH U.S. PRIOR TO ITS INTRODUCTION INTO
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